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INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in Director's
Conference Room, Administration Building
Central Intelligence Agency, on 8 September 1953

Acting Director of Central Intelligence
Lt. Gen. Charles P. Cabell
Presiding

MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. Fisher Howe, acting for Special Assistant, Intelligence,
Department of State
Brigadier General John M. Willems, acting for Assistant
Chief of Staff, G-2, Department of the Army
Rear Admiral Carl F. Espe, Director of Naval Intelligence,
Department of the Navy
Major General John A. Samford, Director of Intelligence,
Headquarters, United States Air Force
Dr. Charles H. Reichardt, acting for Director of Intelligence,
Atomic Energy Commission
Brigadier General Edward H. Porter, Deputy Director for
Intelligence, The Joint Staff
Mr. Victor Keay, acting for Assistant to the Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation

ALSO PRESENT

Mr. Robert Amory, Jr., Central Intelligence Agency

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Mr. Otto Guthe, Central Intelligence Agency

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Mr. William C. Trueheart, Department of State

Mr. Harald W. Jacobson, Department of State

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Colonel W. H. Hennig, Department of the Army
Lt. Colonel T. C. Anderson, Department of the Army
Lt. Colonel John H. Donaldson, Department of the Army
Captain Allan L. Reed, USN, Department of the Navy
Colonel Donald H. Ainsworth, United States Air Force
Colonel John J. Morrow, United States Air Force
Colonel Charles F. Gillis, United States Air Force
Colonel Robert Totten, United States Air Force
Colonel Samuel M. Lansing, The Joint Staff
Colonel F. R. Moore, The Joint Staff
Captain E. T. Layton, USN, The Joint Staff

JAMES Q. REBER
Acting Secretary

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Approval of Minutes

1. Action: The Minutes of 1 September 1953 (IAC-M-119) were approved, subject to the following changes:

a. Substitute the name of Mr. Fisher Howe for the name of Mr. Park Armstrong among the Members Present and add the names of [] among those Also Present.

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b. Revise paragraphs 3b and c, on request of General Porter, to read as follows (deletions in brackets; insertions underlined):

b. ".... It was the view of some that manpower required of the agencies and the personal attention required of the chiefs of intelligence to enable them to concur in so detailed a document was too extensive to be practicable."

c. The agreement reached in September 4, 1952 Minute to the effect that such reports would be noted, rather than approved, by the IAC/ The requirement for the detail contained in the appendices to NIEs arose out of a circumstance in which the NSC Policy Planning staff expressed a need for the background material contained in NIE working papers. The question was raised whether, indeed, such need still existed, and if so, whether it could not be met by the intelligence officers in each agency rather than disseminating IAC approved appendices directly to officials outside of the intelligence community, or be met by appendices only noted by the IAC."

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